



## **DELAWARE COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

### **MEETING AGENDA**

**APRIL 17, 2018**

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:** Showell, Armbruster, Baldwin, Bradley, Johnson, Lopez, Magner, Newman, Newstadt, Sarg, Stewart

**REMINDER TO SILENCE / TURN OFF ELECTRONIC DEVICES:**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**MOMENT OF SILENCE:**

**CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS:**

**APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:**

**AGENCY REMARKS:**

**Ginny Yelland, Director Wilmington VAMC**

**Bill Peterson, Administrator, DVH**

**Jessica Finan, Executive Director, Home of the Brave**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**BEAR CEMETERY (Armbruster)**

**Interments – 77**

**MILLSBORO CEMETERY (Bradley)**

**Interments – 20**

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Sarg)**

**LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS (McMullen)**

#### **ORGANIZATIONAL REPORTS:**

**Air Force Sergeants Association (AFSA)**

**American Legion (AL)**

**American Veterans (AMVETS)**

**Disabled American Veterans (DAV)**

**Korean War Veterans Association (KWVA)**

**Marine Corps League (MCL)**

**Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)**

**Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH)**  
**Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)**  
**Vietnam Veterans of America (VVA)**  
**At Large**  
**- Showell**  
**- Newstadt**  
**- Seppala**  
**- Lopez**  
**- Stewart**

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS:**

**DVTF Previous Month: Applications 15; Granted 9 (60%); Awarded \$9,731.00;**  
**Balance - \$45,163.81**

**TERM EXPIRATIONS: Lardizzone 21 October 2018**

**EVENTS:**

**55+ Expo, Rollins Center, 18 April / 0900 - 1500**  
**Delaware Joining Forces Meeting, Adams State Service Center, 19 April / 0800**  
**Veteran Community Partners Meeting, Wilmington VAMC Bldg 5, 27 April / 1000**  
**Governor's Prayer Breakfast, Modern Maturity Center, 3 May / 0700**  
**Bear Cemetery Memorial Day Ceremony, Bear Cemetery, 26 May / 1030**  
**Bridge Memorial Day Ceremony, Veterans Park, 30 May / 1030**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**ITEMS FOR THE GOOD AND WELFARE OF THE ORGANIZATION**

**SPECIAL PRESENTATION:**

**NEXT MEETING: 15 May 2018 / 1000 / Delaware Commission of Veterans Affairs**

**PURSUANT TO 29 DEL. § 10004(b), THE DELAWARE COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS MAY MOVE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS MATTERS WHICH MAY ARISE AT THE TIME OF THE PUBLIC BODY'S MEETING IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 DEL., § 10004(c)(2).**